

WEEKLY EVENTS

‘New Building Blocks for Nursery and Kindergarten’

Recently many Early Years settings across Surrey were invited to take part in a ‘block training course.’ As a result of this we have been given the most amazing collection of large building blocks for our Nursery and Kindergarten classes.

So many of the toys on the market today have a single use – the play is often prescriptive not open ended. Blocks are possibly the most open ended of play resources – they can be anything you want them to be! Block play covers all areas of the curriculum; it is a vehicle for communication and language development and is accessible to all children regardless of development or ability. As you can see from the photographs the new blocks are already a big hit with the children.



CHESS MEGA FINAL

Last Saturday 7 girls played in the Mega Final (which is the second round of the UK Chess Challenge), at Hinchley Wood School in Esher.

The girls were; Year 2 - Lucy, Michelle.

Year 3 - Scarlet, Mariella, Isabella.

Year 4 - Antonia

Year 5 - Isabella

We all played individually and everyone was awarded a certificate. Michelle and Isabella (Y5) were each awarded a rosette for gaining 3½ points or more in their sections.

The matches were challenging and we all had a really great time.

by, Isabella, Year 5